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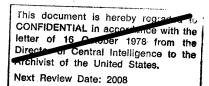
- Ueberall, the Israeli minister in Prague, is currently in Budapest conferring with the Hungarian Government on the release of 20,000 Hungarian Jews for emigration to Israel.
- 2. The Hungarian Government is demanding two million U.S. dollars from the Joint Distribution Committee, ostensibly to cover "fees" for processing emigrants. The Government will release only older and, by Israeli standards, unassimilable elements for emigration.
- 3. Ueberall, regarding the sum demanded as "hostage money", is opposed to payment and to accepting older people. He has already conferred with Matyas Rakosi, Secretary of the Hungarian Workers Party, who has proved uncooperative and refused to permit young Hungarian Jews to emigrate on the grounds that they are a "literate element" and are needed by the State.

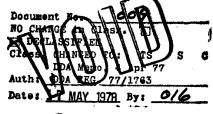
4. In matter what the attitude of the Hungarian Government might be, the Hungarian Jewish youth is dominantly pro-Zionist and is determined to emigrate, clandestinely if necessary.\*

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